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**UNKNOWN
HORROR!**



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DREAD SECRET OF THE
BASILISK? WHY DID IT
STRIKE TERROR
IN EVERYONE'S
HEART?



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Blackhawk



**TO TAKE OFF
THAT MASK MAY
MEAN A REIGN OF
TERROR ON
EARTH!**

THE TALE OF THE BASILISK,
SUPREME CHIEF OF A FIEND-
ISH BAND OF TERRORISTS...
WHO SOUGHT TO ESTABLISH
THE AGE OLD RULE OF
HORROR

TO CARRY OUT ITS WISHES
AGAINST THE PEOPLES AND
GOVERNMENTS OF ALL COUN-
TRIES... WHO WORE A MASK
THAT STRUCK FEAR TO
EVERY HEART... FEAR THAT
WAS DOUBLED WITH THE
MYSTERY OF WHAT GREATER
MENACE WAS HIDDEN BY THE
MASK...

**A MYSTERY SOLVED BY
THE WORLD-FAMOUS FIGHT-
ING TEAM OF THE BLACKHAWKS**

**A SECRET MEETING... BUT A
FEARLESS VOICE RINGS
BEYOND THE FOUR WALLS...**

GENTLEMEN, IF WE IG-
NORE THE MENACE OF
THIS BASILISK AND THE
B-MEN, WE MAY BE PER-
MITTING A NEW PER-
FORMANCE OF EARTH'S
OLDEST WOE...
CONQUEST BY FEAR!

COMMITTEE FOR
JUSTICE
ALLIED DEMOCRACIES

**PRIVATE
SESSION**

THE BASILISK'S PROWLING, SNEAKING
SERVANTS CARRY ITS DEMANDS TO EVERY
RULER AND OFFICER... THOSE WHO
REFUSE ARE THREATENED
AND ATTACKED! THESE
ARE GANGSTER METHODS!

COLONEL
WAYNE KNOWS
WHAT HE'S SAY-
ING, BLACKHAWK!



THE BASILISK IS OF NO NATION. YET THREATENS ALL! IT MENACES EVERY HEADQUARTERS. YET IT'S OWN IS UNKNOWN! OUR COMMITTEE MUST FACE AND FIGHT THIS PERIL!

MR. CHAIRMAN, I HOPE THAT WE BACK COLONEL MAYNE IN HIS PROPOSAL TO DESTROY THE MENACE OF THE BASILISK!

I'M LIKE YOU, COLONEL! THE FEW THINGS I'VE HEARD ABOUT THE BASILISK CONVINCE ME THAT WE'D BETTER ACT BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE!

THANKS FOR YOUR HELP, BLACKHAWK! BUT OUR ACTIVE OPPOSITION PUTS US ALL PERSONALLY IN GRAVE DANGER!

DANGER, YES! BUT MY FRIENDS AND I ARE USED TO DANGER. WE'LL HAVE TO TAKE OUR CHANCES...

HERE COMES THAT RECK-LESS FOOL WHO ADVOCATES THE OVERTHROW OF THE BASILISK! STRIKE HIM DOWN!

LOOK OUT! COLONEL!

COMPLIMENTS OF THE BASILISK!

JUST IN THE NICK OF TIME!

CHOCK

YOU MISSED THE MARK, YOU CLIMSY LOU! QUICK, ANOTHER THROWING KNIFE!

HAWKAAA!

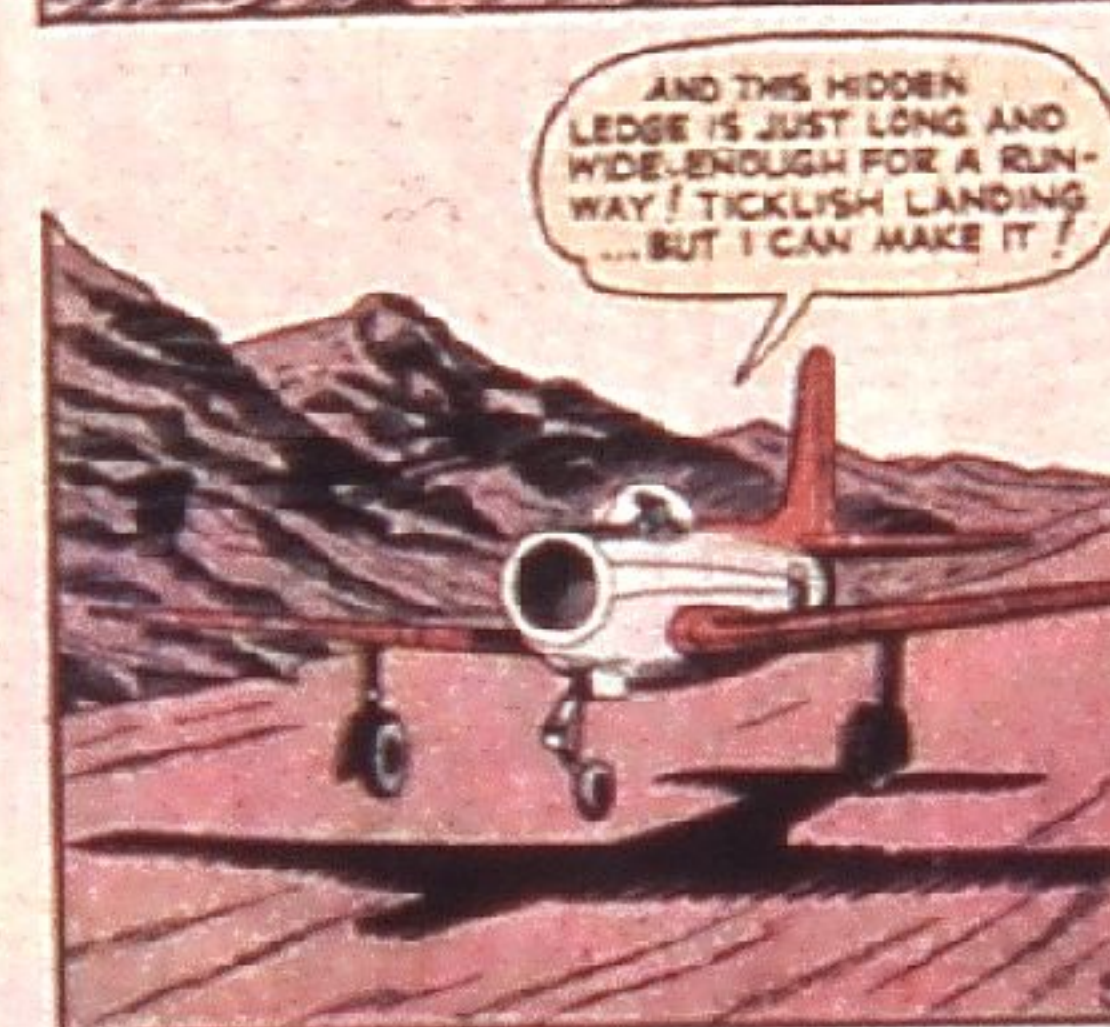
LISTEN, COLONEL! MY FRIENDS WERE OUTSIDE IN THE CORRIDOR, FOR JUST SUCH A NEED AS THIS!

ANDRE'S SCORING ALREADY, HENDRICKSON!

RIGHT, CHUCK! COME, OLAF, WE MISS DER FUN!











SUMMON MY TORTURERS! THESE MEN SHALL DIE IN A FASHION TO KEEP OTHERS FROM FAINT-HEARTED DIS-OBEDIENCE!

WAIT A MINUTE, BASILISK! LOOK AT THIS THING SENSIBLY!



BY THAT BLUE UNIFORM, I KNOW YOU ARE THE UP-START BLACKHAWK! ARE YOU MAD THAT YOU COME ALONE TO MY LAIR?

I'M NOT QUITE ALONE, BASILISK! HEAR THAT ALARM DRUM FROM YOUR WALLS? IT SUGGESTS THAT MY FRIENDS ARE VISITING YOU, TOO!



APPARENTLY YOUR OUTER DEFENSES ARE MAKING US WELCOME! BUT WE BLACKHAWKS HAVE SEIZED STRONGER FORTS THAN THIS!

BATATATATAT



YOU'RE SCOLDING THESE TWO POOR RATS OF YOURS... BUT IF THEY MISSED COLONEL MAYNE, THEY BROUGHT ME ALONG! AREN'T YOU GLAD TO HAVE BLACKHAWK BEFORE YOU?

MOCKERY! INSANE DEFIANCE! GUARDS, SEIZE HIM!



I OBEY... OWWW!

DON'T INTERRUPT WHEN I'M TELLING YOUR BIG BAD BASILISK WHAT'S WHAT!



YOU HAVE AMBITIONS, BASILISK! YOU WANT TO SCARE NATIONS AND GOVERNMENTS... GET RICH FROM LOOT AND POWERFUL FROM VIOLENCE! MANY A CHEAP CROOK HAS TRIED THE SAME AND FAILED!

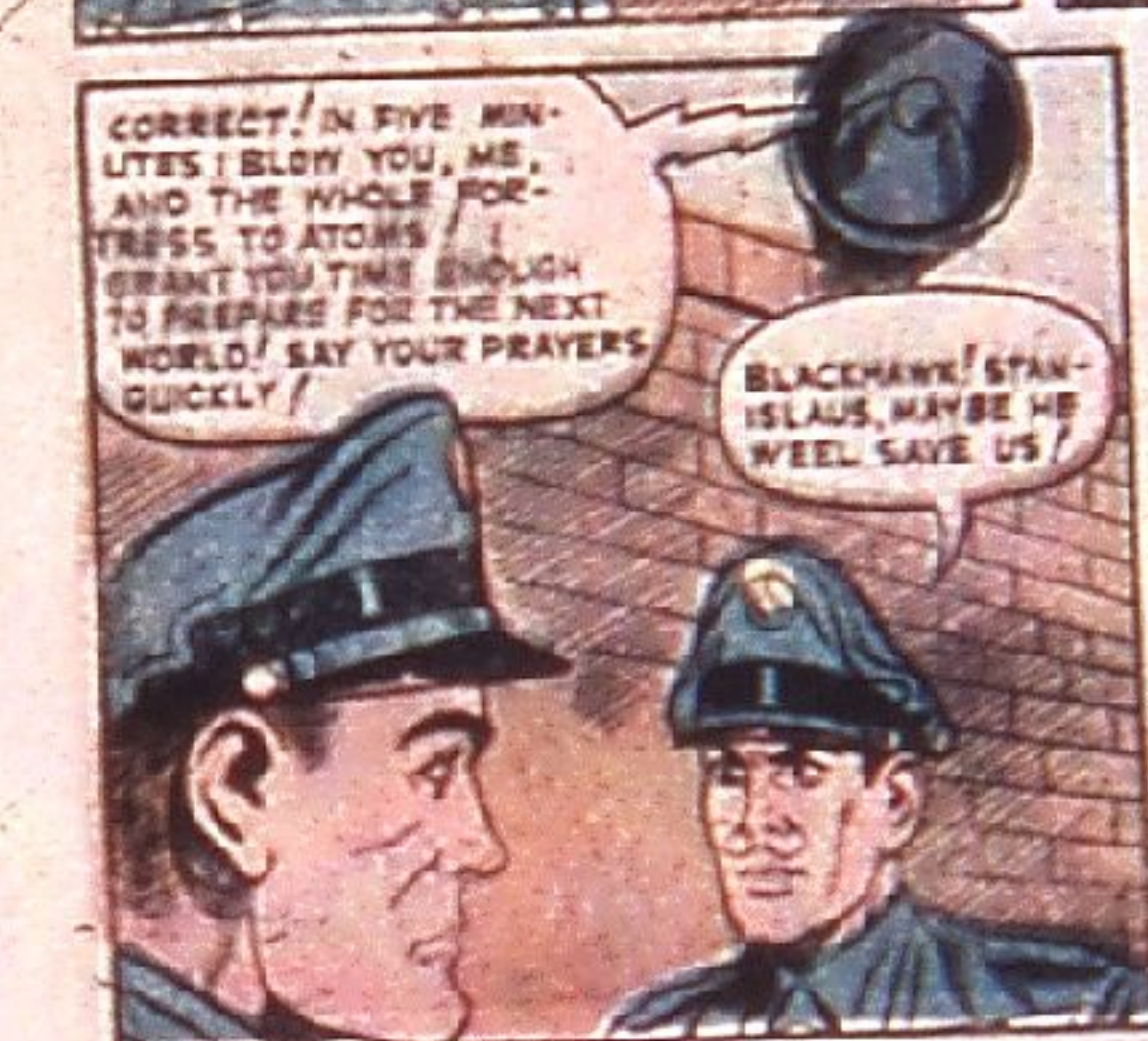
STAND BY, EVERYONE! THE BLACK-HAWKS HAVE LANDED INSIDE THE COURTYARD!

IN THE COURTYARD

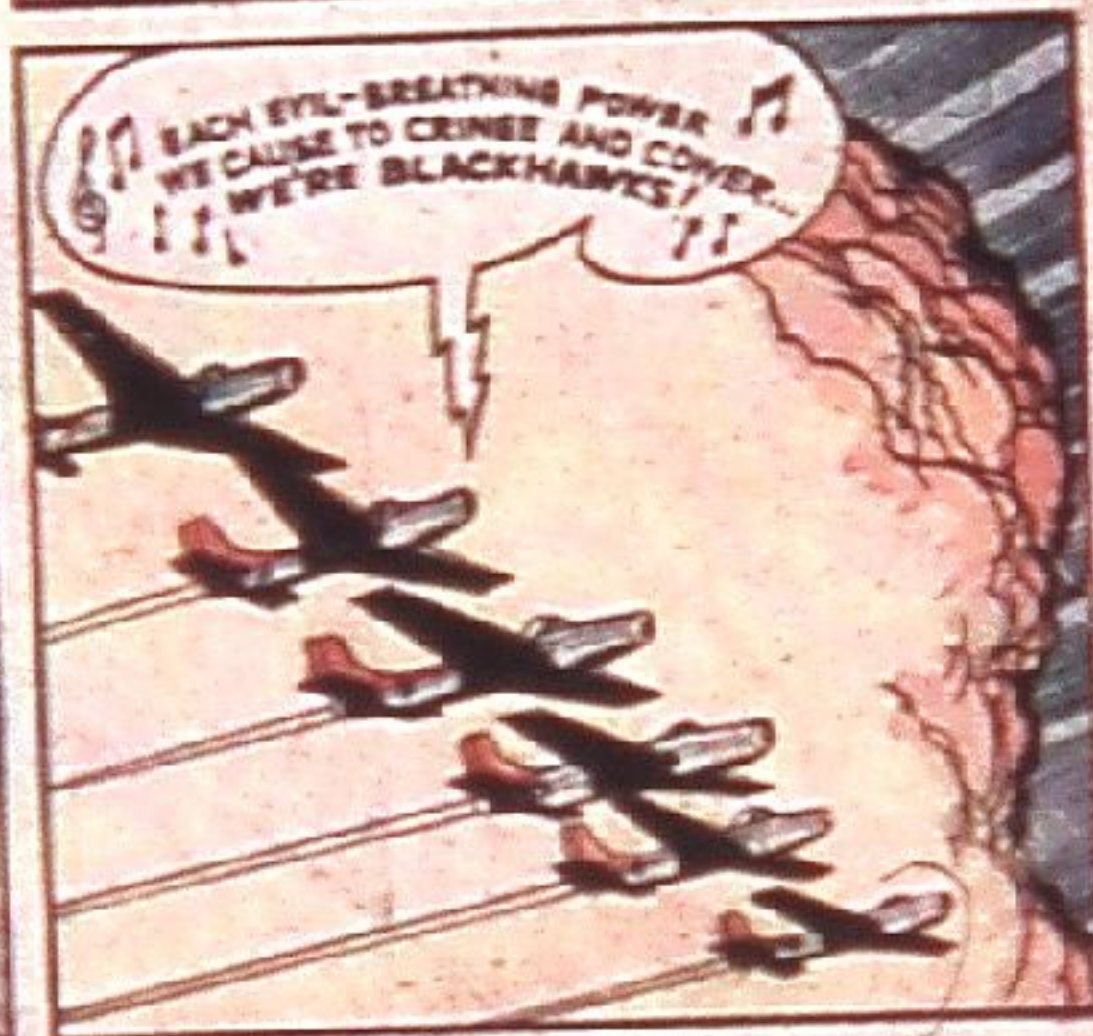




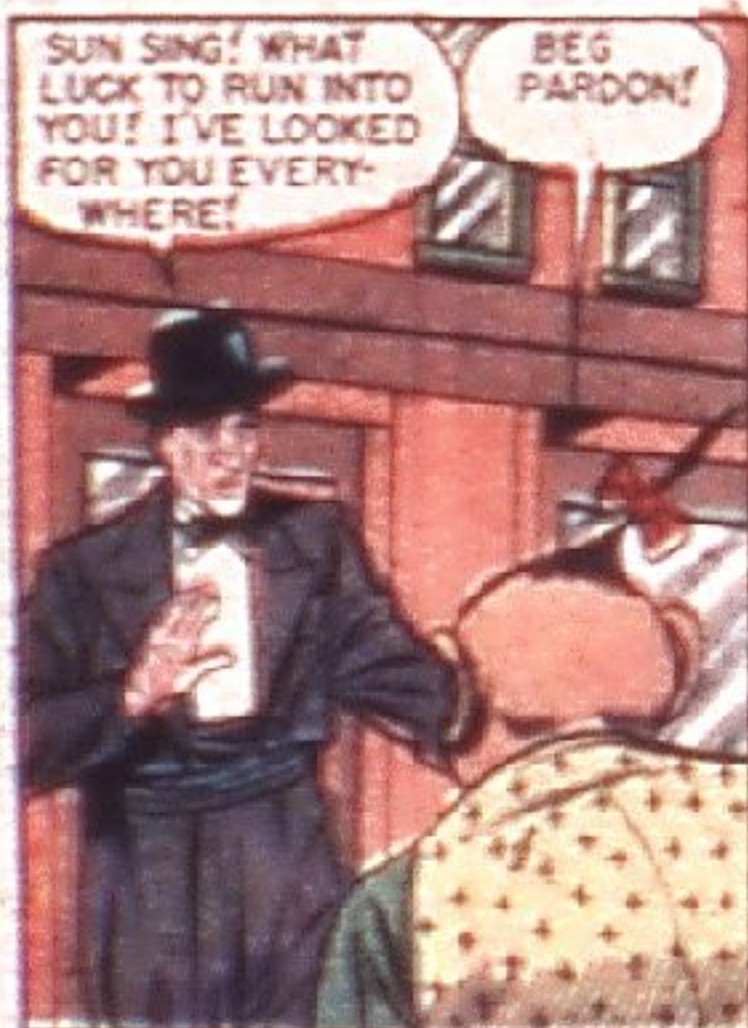








CHOP CHOP







HMM! MAYBE NEXT TIME I NOT BE SO LUCKY WHEN I TANGLE WITH FANCY SWORD! I DUCK IN HERE!

STAGE DOOR



AH! VELLY ELEGANT ROOM!

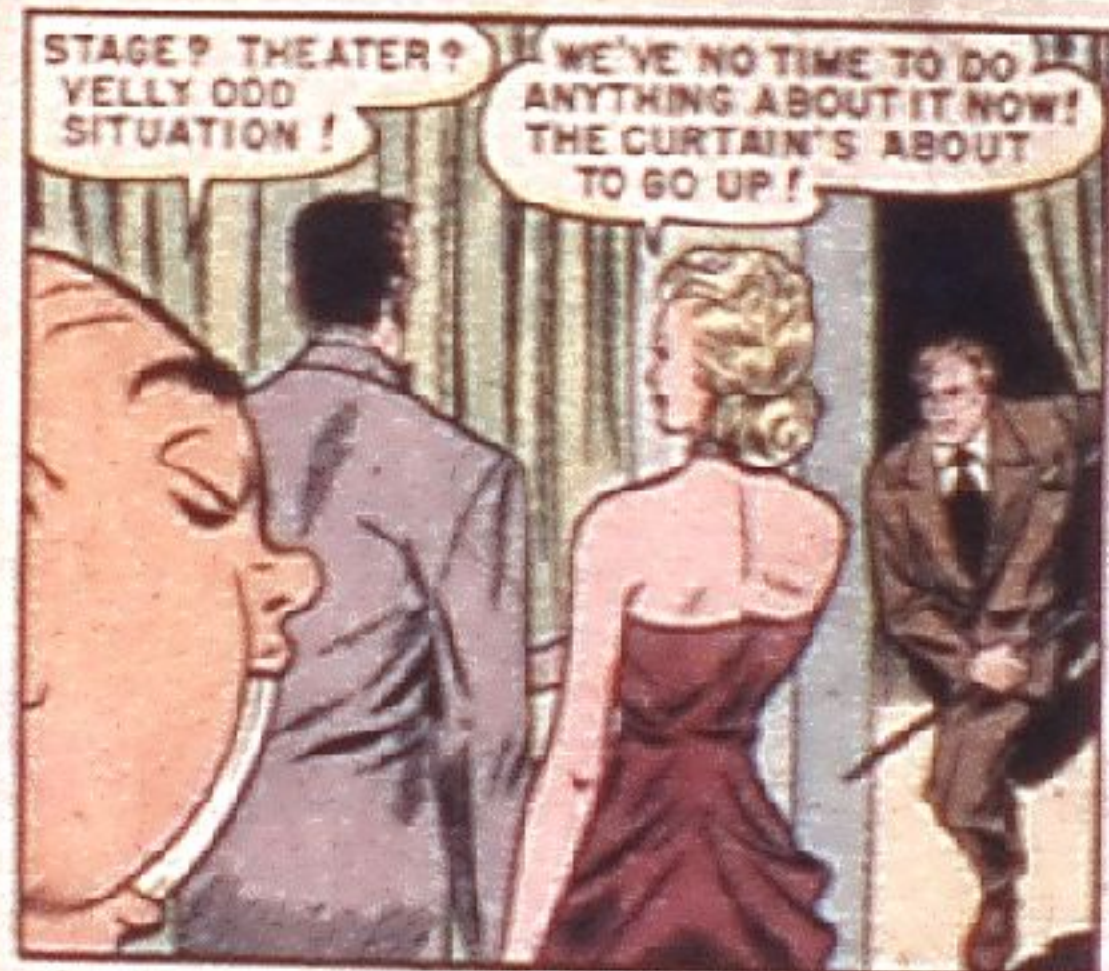


BLACKHAWK SAY OBVIOUS HIDING PLACE IS SOME-TIMES HARDEST TO FIND!



GOOD GRIEF! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE? IT'S CURTAIN TIME!

THAT STAGE DOORMAN MUST HAVE GONE OUT FOR COFFEE AGAIN! ANYBODY CAN GET INTO THIS THEATER!



STAGE? THEATER? VELLY ODD SITUATION!

WE'VE NO TIME TO DO ANYTHING ABOUT IT NOW! THE CURTAIN'S ABOUT TO GO UP!



JUPITER! ANOTHER PEST! GET OFF THIS STAGE! THE CURTAIN'S GOING UP!



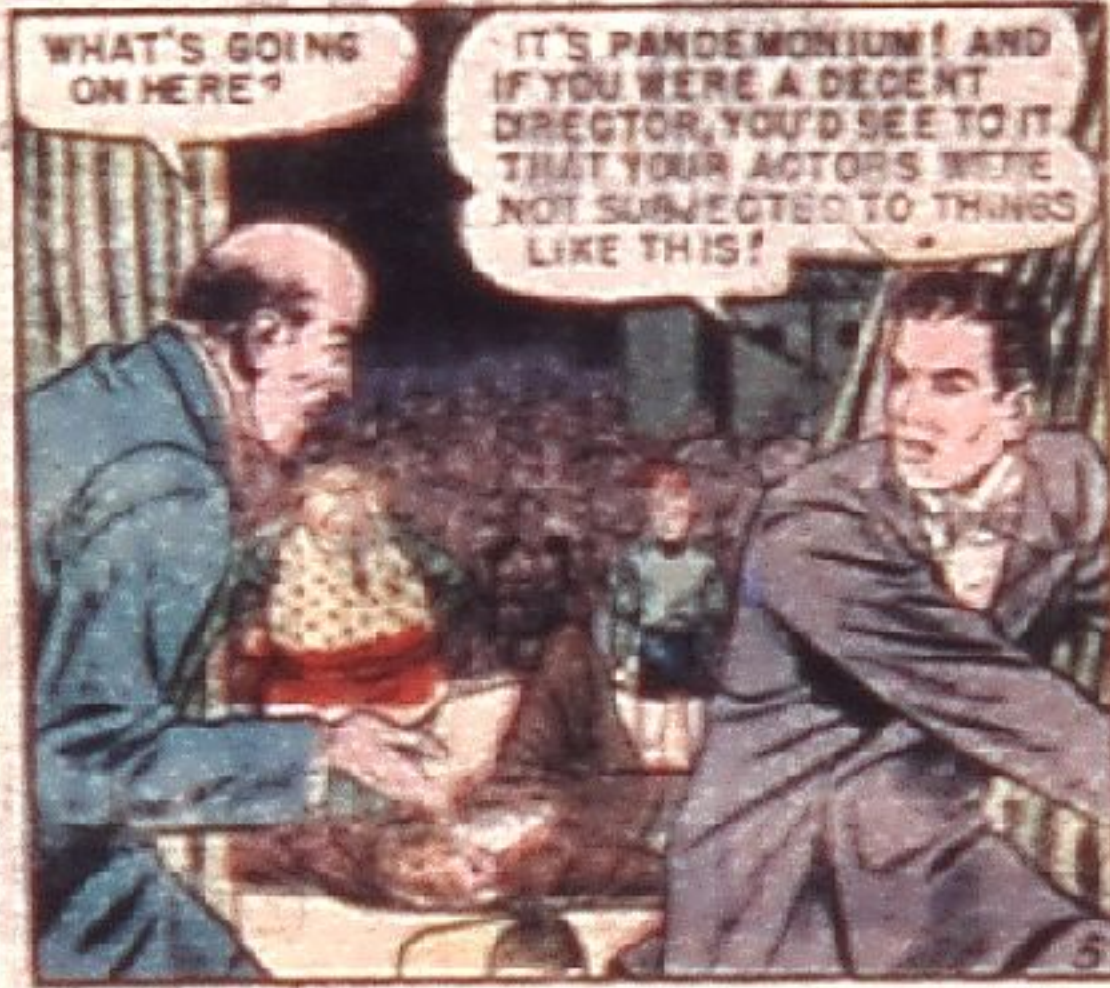
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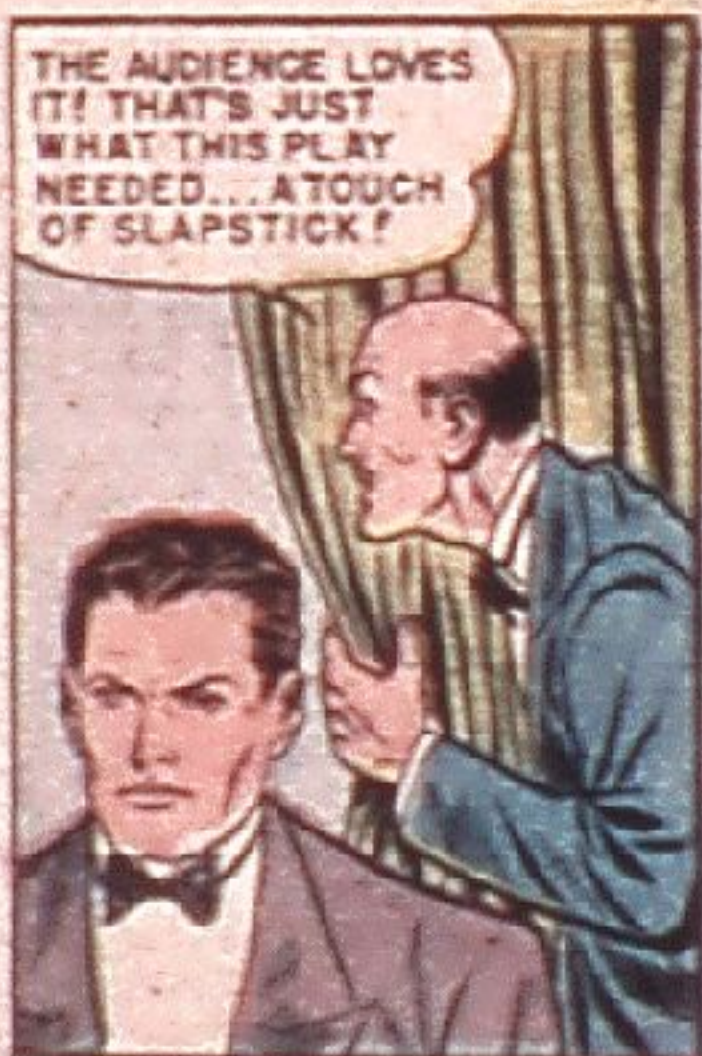


WHERE IS THE BOX?

I HAVEN'T GOT IT!







FLYING SAUCER

FROM his patrol position west of the Santa Gardina range, Air Policeman Jimmy Dolan saw the Flying Saucer when it first slid into view. He stared a moment, taking in the shimmering disc as it slid with terrible determination down the sweep of Longhorn Valley toward the great industrial plants that huddled around Carter Dam beyond. Then he snatched his radio.

"Dolan to force," he barked. "Quarry sighted, coming down the Valley toward the dam. Converge and destroy. Converge and destroy."

His nerves tingled as he threw his swift jet fighter plane into a thundering dive toward the distant menace. From all points of the compass there were glittering streaks in the air as other members of the Air Police Patrol closed in on the mysterious craft.

It had begun two weeks before with the first appearance of the odd machine that resembled nothing so much as a great silver saucer in the sky. It had flashed down over an isolated town in Arizona, blasted the city to ruins with bombs and then calmly landed to loot. Where it came from or who was behind its murderous raid nobody knew. But some super criminal had conceived and executed this radical new plane and with it he seemed well on his way toward looting the whole nation.

Jimmy was still miles away when he saw the first of his patrol comrades roar down for the attack. As before, their most powerful weapons made no dent in the armored craft. But this time the marauder struck back. There was a shimmering streak in the sky and one of the police planes vanished in a puff of debris. Another streak, another plane destroyed. The others drew back, hovering.

"Hold off," Jimmy snapped into his radio. "Don't commit suicide. Follow and cover. I'm going to try something."

It was a wild, dangerous plan that had burst into Jimmy's mind, but the killer must be stopped and there was no other hope. With a prayer on his lips, Jimmy sent his plane thundering past the disc and straight toward the rocky floor of the valley. The saucer was whirring

on, less than a hundred feet above the ground, its course unshaken and its destination plain.

Less than fifty feet from the clawing rocks, Jimmy hauled back on the controls. The jet plane flattened out in a screaming arc. The force of his turn drove the blood from Jimmy's head. He fought to maintain control, fought to keep from blacking out.

He was flying now less than twenty feet above the rocks, flying straight down the valley and the saucer was dead ahead and some few feet above him. For the first time he could see its underside, a maze of armored tubes and cables and jets and a wild surge of hope went through his veins. No one had ever had a good look at that underside before. It flew too low to expose that belly to planes and it moved far too swiftly for anyone on the ground to get a look, much less launch any counter attack. Now he was seeing that underside and thundering toward it.

Jimmy tripped his releases. The jet plane shuddered as a hail of heavy-caliber machine gun slugs poured from nose and wing guns. Lances of white vapor plumed out as his rockets blasted. Then there was no use in firing any longer because his tremendous speed had carried him up past the disc and beyond it in a flash.

He looked back. There was nothing to see—nothing but a great ball of expanding fire that blazed into a mushrooming fury and then was gone, hidden in a swelling cloud of smoke. When he got his ship turned around, the disc had vanished. There was only smoke in the air and a glittering spray of wreckage on the valley floor.

"You got him, Jimmy," the radio was yelling in his ears. "You blew him to pieces. There isn't enough left to analyze. How did you figure that stunt?"

Jimmy laughed shakily. "I licked the town bully once; when I was a kid. He was twice my size but he was soft in the belly. I hit him there and won. So I kind of figure even the toughest rats have soft bellies. I just hit them there . . . and won again."

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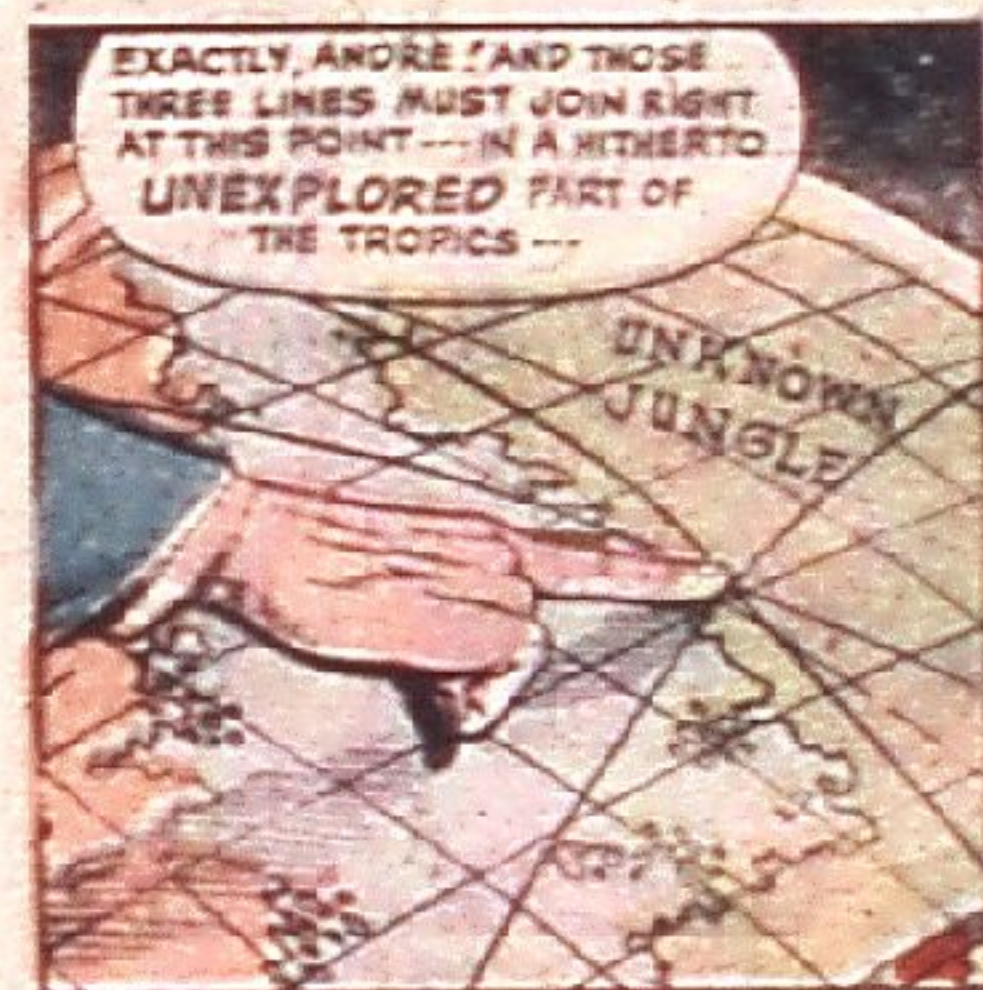
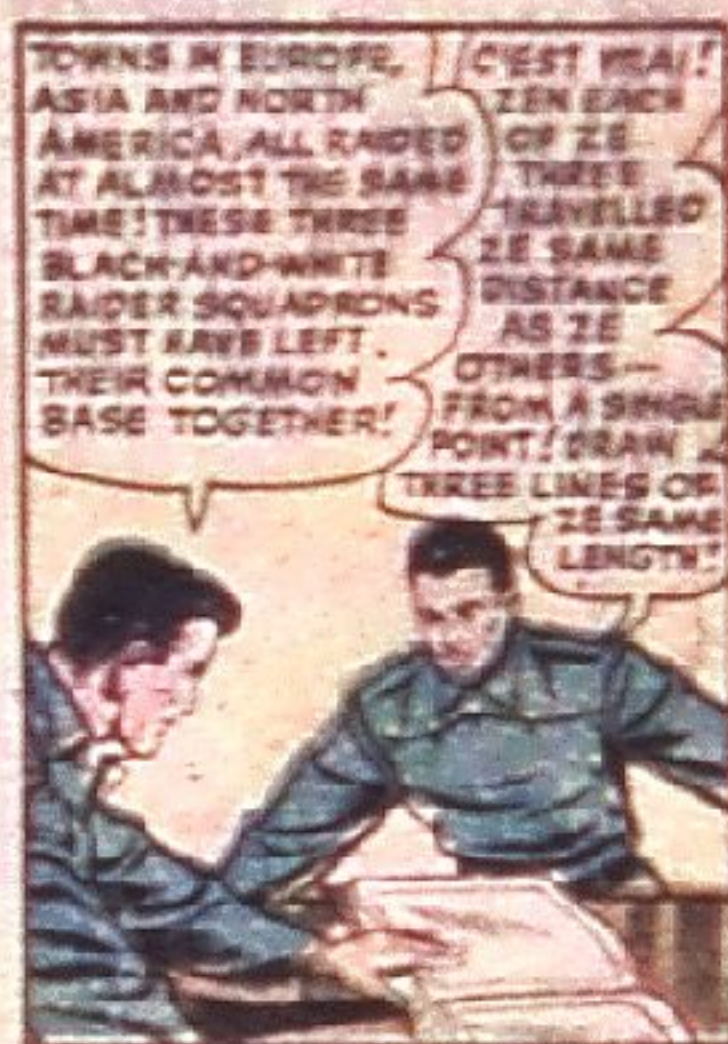
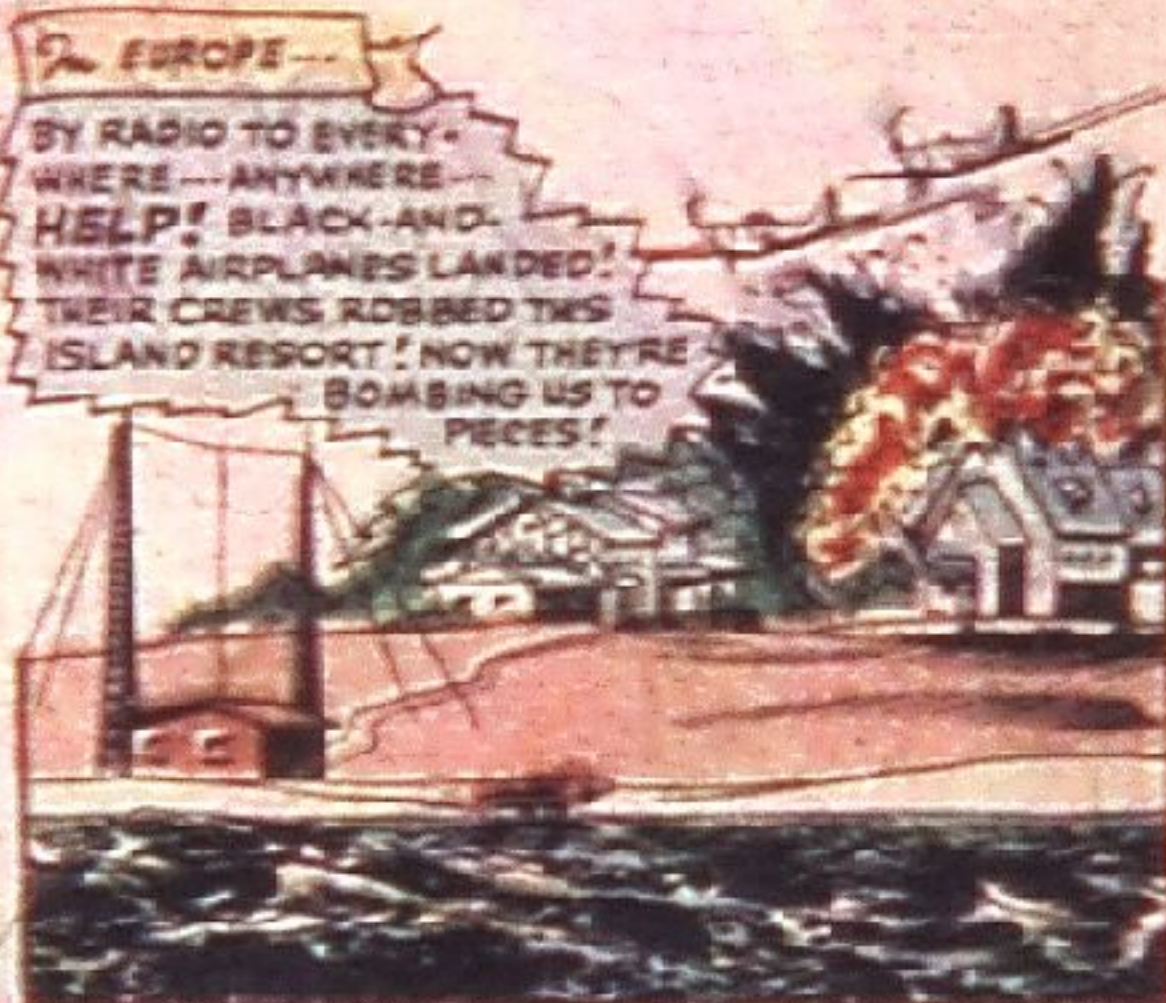
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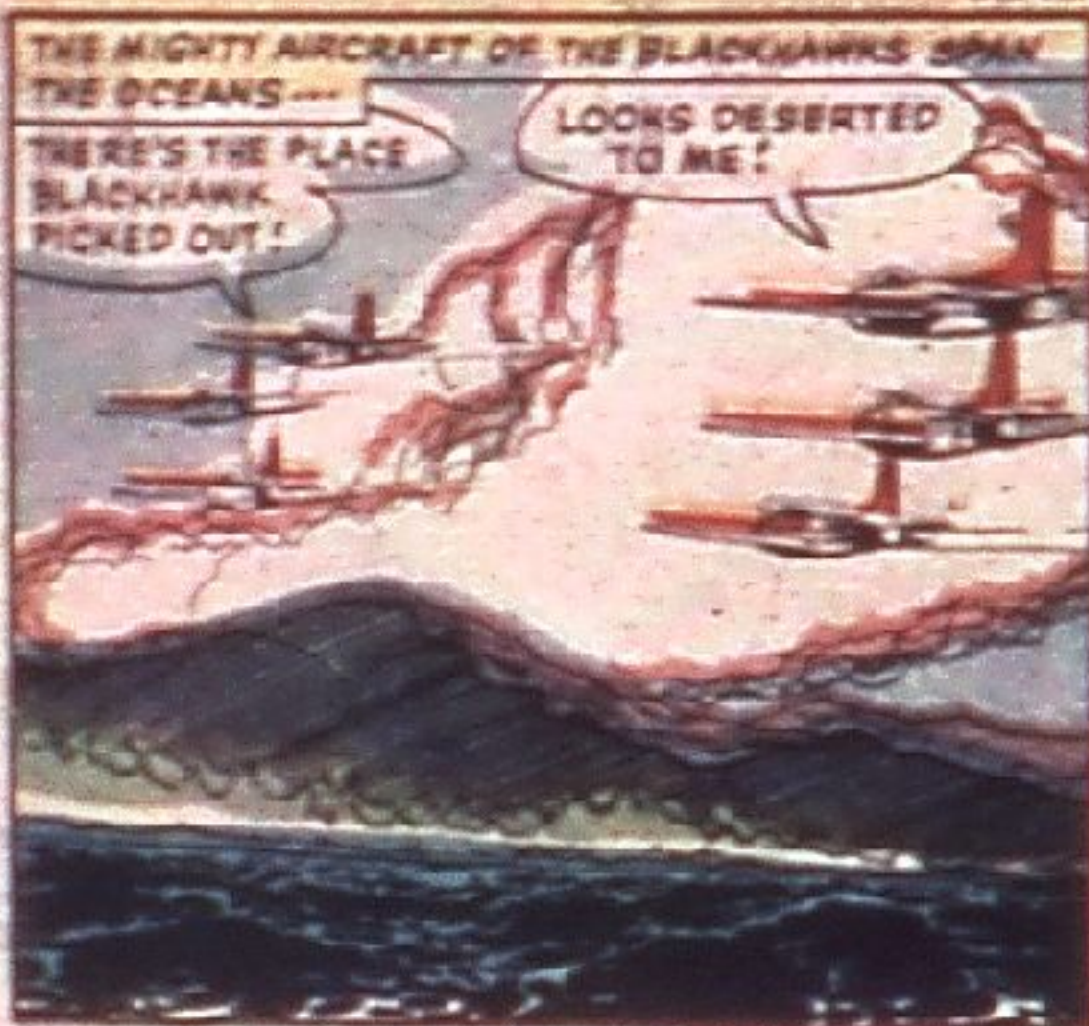
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NOBODY KNEW FROM WHENCE
THE PLUNDERERS CAME—NOR
TO WHAT PLACE THEY RETURNED—
UNTIL ~~THE~~ **BLACKHAWK'S**
TRACED THEM TO THE VERY
HEART OF THEIR STRANGE
HEADQUARTERS!







THE MIGHTY AIRCRAFT OF THE BLACKHAWKS SPAN THE OCEANS...

THERE'S THE PLACE BLACKHAWK PICKED OUT!

LOOKS DESERTED TO ME!



LOOKEE SEE, BLACKHAWK! PLACE IS NOT SO MUCH DESERTED AS FIRST SEEM!

RIGHT, CHOP CHOP! ANY, ALL BLACKHAWKS! SEEMS WE'VE FOUND SOME OF THOSE BLACK-AND-WHITE PLANES! READY FOR ACTION!



HAWHAAA!

BEWARE! THAT IS THE CRY OF THE BLACKHAWKS!



BLACKHAWK! BLACK-AND-WHITE FELLA MAKEE RUN—STRAIGHT FOR WATERFALL!

AND WHAT A WATER-FALL, CHOP CHOP! IT MUST BE A THOUSAND FEET HIGH!



WE JUST PULLED OUT OF THAT CHASE IN TIME, CHOP CHOP!

BUT NOT ENEMY SHIP! HE DROWN HIMSELF IN FALLS, YES!



WE'LL LAND HERE AND SEE WHAT WRECKAGE WASHED DOWN FROM ABOVE!

BUT UP IN SKY! ANOTHER BLACK-AND-WHITE FELLA FLY TOWARD FALLS! OUR OTHER TWO FRIENDS AFTER HIM!



GOLLY, THEY CHASE
NUMBER TWO ENEMY
PLANE RIGHT INTO
FALLS!

THEN THEY'LL
JOIN US DOWN
HERE!



WHAT CAN GO ON,
BLACKHAWK? WAS
WRECKED PLANES
WASHED DOWN
HERE?

NOT A SIGN OF THEM!
BUT WAIT—



THERE GOES THE THIRD
PLANE! NOBODY CHASING
IT—IT'S DIVING INTO THE
FALLS OF ITS OWN FREE
WILL!



IT'S VANISHED,
LIKE THE OTHERS!
DO YOU KNOW
WHAT THAT
MEANS?

SUICIDE,
SANS DOUTE?
OR ZE CRAZY
HEAD, PEUT-
ETRE?



ANDRE, COME ALONG,
IF YOU WILL! YOU
OTHERS, WAIT
HERE FOR OUR
REPORT!

ME COME,
TOO!



BLACKHAWK, I SEE
WHAT IS IN ZE MIND
OF YOU! YOU DIVE
INTO ZE FALLS—

AND COME OUT
THE OTHER
SIDE!



At FULL SPEED THE
PLANE DRIVES INTO
THE VEIL OF WATER—

ZIT ALORS!
ZERE WAS EMPTINESS---
A GREAT **CAVERN**
BEHIND ZIS
WATERFALL!

THERE HAD TO
BE, ANDRE! LOOK
BELOW---A WIDE
FLAT FLOOR---
AND **LIGHTS!**

THESE BLACK-AND-
WHITE FELLA DON'T
HAVE GUARD, HA?

APPARENTLY NOT, CHOP
CHOP! THEY NEVER THOUGHT
ANY OUTSIDER WOULD DARE
TEST THE SECRET OF
THOSE FALLS---THEIR
NATURAL DOORWAY!

WHAT IS BEYOND
ZIS UNDERGROUND
FLYING FIELD? I
SEE NOZZING---
HEAR NOZZING---

THEY'VE LANDED THEIR
PLANE SAFELY FOR US
TO CAPTURE! OUT AND
AT THEM!

MAKE THEM
PRISONER!

HAWKAAA!

HURRY! TURN OUT
THE **WHOLE** GUARD!
THESE MEN FIGHT
LIKE FIENDS!

CHOP CHOP!
WHERE'S CHOP
CHOP?

OWWW!

BIND THEM FAST! TRONG
WILL BE HAPPY TO SEE THEM
HELPLESS BEFORE HIM!

THIS WAY, PRISONERS!
YOU MAY SOON FACE
OUR CHIEF!

CHEER UP, ANDRE!
WE CAME HERE TO
SOLVE THIS
MYSTERY, AND
WE'RE SOLVING
IT!

ELECTRIC LIGHTS!
VERY MODERN
YOU CAN
DWELLING
RASCALS!

AND RICH, TOO!
HERE'S A TRIFLE
OF OUR LOOT!
COME ALONG.
OUR CHIEF IS
JUST BEYOND!

AMIGHTY TRONG,
WE'VE CAPTURED
SPIES! THIS
IS ---

YOU NEED NOT INTRO-
DUCE HIM! EVEN IN THIS
FAR PLACE, THE FAME
OF BLACKHAWK
HAS PENETRATED!

GOOD THING
YOU DIDN'T
KILL HIM! WE'LL
TAKE PHOTO-
GRAPHS OF
HIM ALIVE AND
CAPTURED---
FRIENDS IN HIGH
PLACES WILL PAY
A FORTUNE FOR
HIS RANSOM!

THEN YOU
INTEND TO
SET ME
FREE AGAIN?
THAT WOULD
BE A
MISTAKE,
TRONG!

NO, NO! WE'LL
COLLECT THE
RANSOM---AS
SOON AS IT'S IN
OUR HANDS, WE'LL
DESTROY YOU
BOTH!

ATTENDEZ,
BLACKHAWK!
ZE POOR
FOOL THINKS
WE WEEL STAY
CAPTURED!
HA! HA!

STOW THAT
MOCKING
LAUGHTER,
PRISONER!

INSULTS TO A HELPLESS
CAPTIVE! YOUR COWARDICE
MATCHES YOUR STUPIDITY!
THIS AIRBORNE GANG OF
SNEAK-THIEVES IS
DOOMED, TRONG!

WHO CARES
WHAT YOU SAY,
BLACKHAWK?
TAKE THEM
AWAY AND
GUARD THEM
WELL!

COME ON,
YOU TWO!

SO, THIS IS OUR PRISON CELL? IT LOOKS TO BE THE STOREHOUSE AS WELL!

THESE CAVES ARE FULL OF OUR PLUNDERED WEALTH! EVERY MAN OF OUR PARTY CAN COMMAND MILLIONS!

MILLIONAIRES, EH? BUT YOU HAVE TO LIVE IN CAVES IN THE WILDERNESS—SHUT OFF FROM THE WORLD! NOT SUCH A HAPPY LIFE, IS IT?

IT'S ONLY TEMPORARY! WHEN WE HAVE A REAL FORTUNE, WE'LL RETURN TO THE WORLD! PERHAPS FINANCE A REVOLUTION AND BECOME RULERS OF SOME NATION—



—OR PERHAPS CORNER THE MARKET IN SOME VALUABLE COMMODITY? WE'LL LIVE LIKE KINGS!

UNLESS ANDRE AND I GET AWAY AND WIPE YOU OUT, THAT IS —

GET AWAY, YOU SAY? FAT CHANCE!

OUR AIR PATROL OUTSIDE REPORTED YOUR PRESENCE! WE ONLY LET YOU THROUGH THE FALLS SO AS TO POSSESS YOUR HIGH-POWERED PLANE!



YET YOU OUGHT TO BE MORE CAUTIOUS! ONLY TWO OF YOU AGAINST THE TWO OF US!

WE TWO ARE ARMED AND FREE! YOU AND YOUR FRIEND ARE BOUND AND HELPLESS!

HOW TRUSTING YOU ARE!

BLACKHAWK! PLEASE GIVE A LITTLE OF DAS FUN FOR US!



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HAWKAAAA!

GET THEIR WEAPONS!

THANKS CHOP CHOP!



NOW! FIRE AT THE CEILING ABOVE THEM! RIDDLE IT WITH BULLETS!



IT WORKED! OUR BULLETS KNOCKED THE STALACTITES FROM THE ROOF OF THE CAVE!

RUN! RETREAT!



NOW! HEAD FOR THE PLANES AND MAKE A STAND THERE!



THEY'RE ESCAPING!

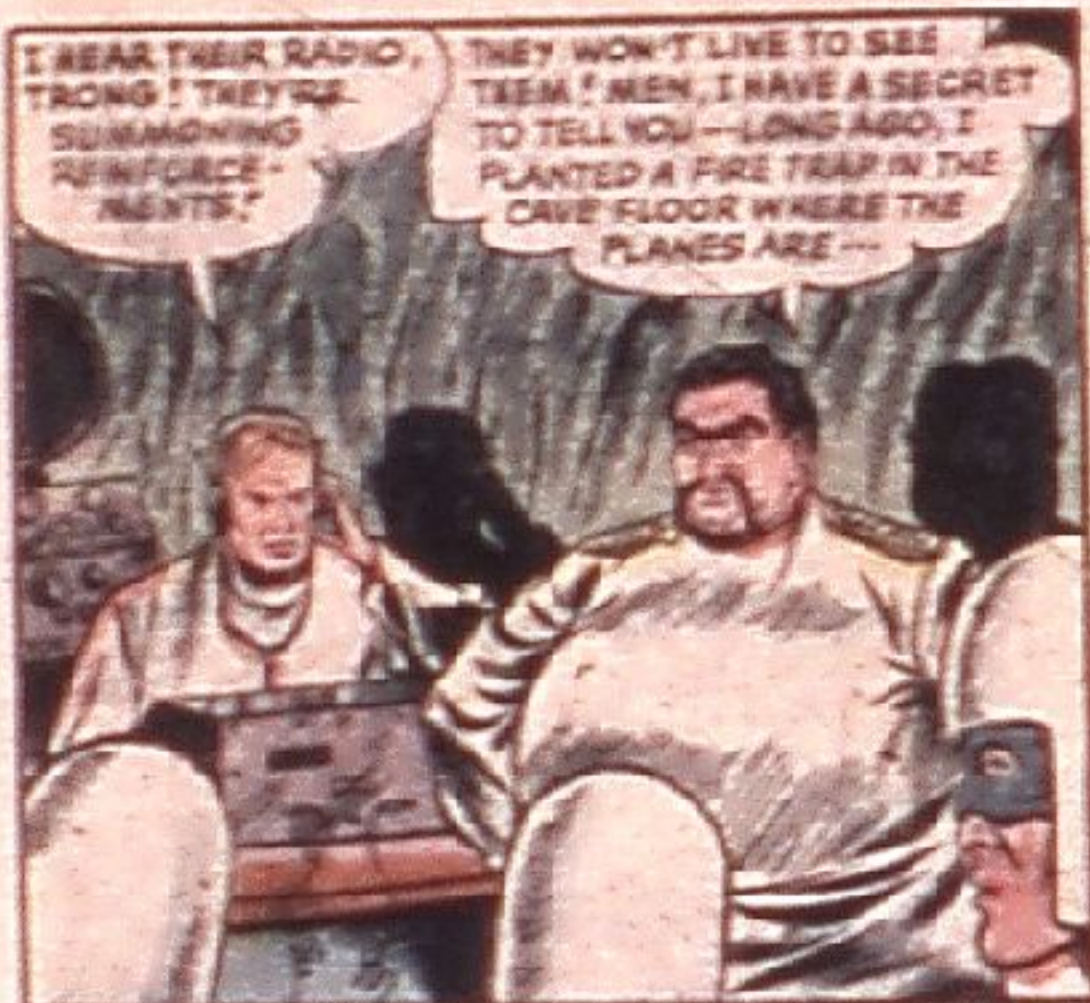
THEY CANNOT ESCAPE! THEY MUST NOT! RALLY AND PURSUE THEM!



WE CAN MAN ALL THESE AIRCRAFT AND GET AWAY, BLACKHAWK!

RETREAT WHILE WE'RE WINNING? NO, ANDRE! MY PLAN IS TO DESTROY TRONG'S THREAT TO LAW AND ORDER—PERMANENTLY! CHOP CHOP, INTO OUR PLANE—CONTACT THE INTERNATIONAL PATROL RADIO!





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a Real Gun**

IS'NT MY
NEW GUN A
HONEY?

HELP! HELP!
THE BANK'S
BEEN
ROBBED!

LEFT GET
OUT A HERE
BILLY!

WAIT, I'VE
GOT AN IDEA!
**STOP OR
I'LL SHOOT!**

JEEZ! THE
KID'S GOT A
REAL GUN
KILLER!

GEE WHIZ, BILLY!
IT SHOOTS JUST
LIKE A REAL GUN!
LET'S PLAY G-MAN

GOOD WORK, BILLY.
WE'VE BEEN AFTER
THESE CROOKS FOR
A LONG TIME...

YOU FOOLED US, KID.
I THOUGHT THAT GUN
WAS A REAL ONE!

BILLY, YOU SAVED
THE BANK. HERE'S
YOUR REWARD!

THANK YOU
MR. BANKER,
BUT MY NEW
GUN DESERVES
THE CREDIT

OH BOY! I'M
GOING TO
SEND FOR MY
GUN TODAY.

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EASY. JUST MAIL
THIS COUPON IN
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GUN WILL ARRIVE
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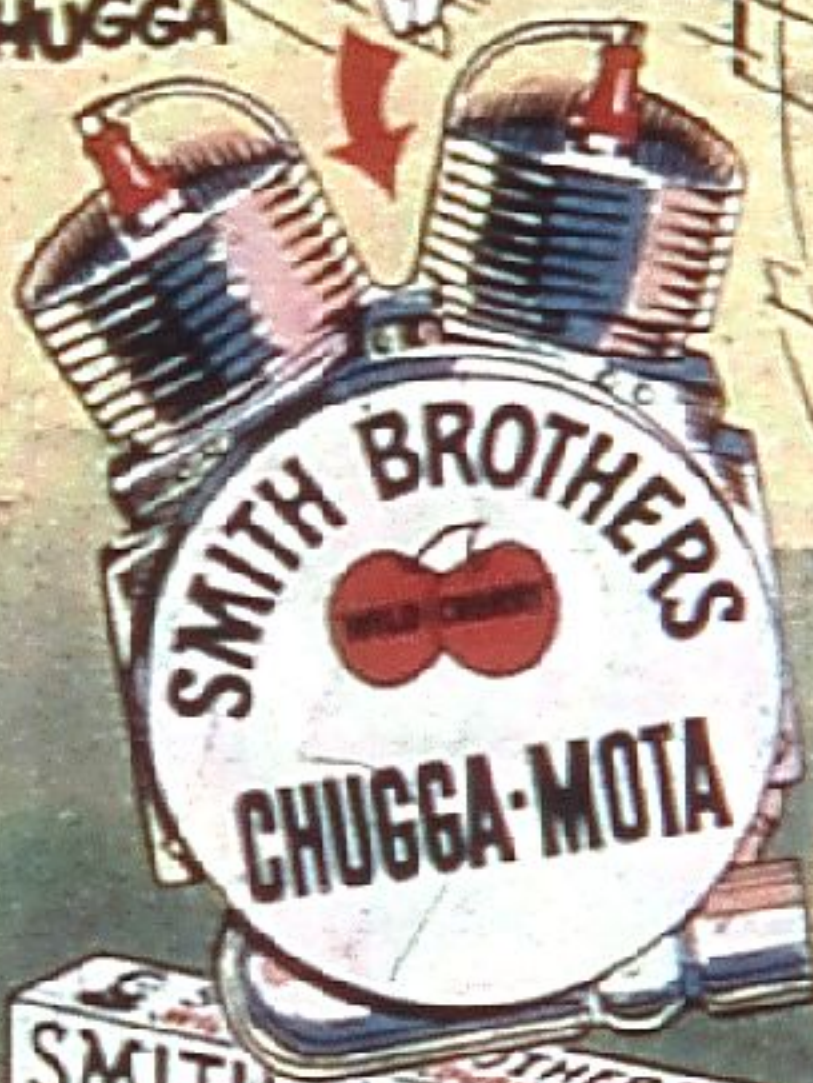
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